

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
EASTERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA)	
)	
V.)	CASE NO: 3:07-cr-79-WKW
)	
JAN PUGH THOMPSON)	

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SENTENCING CONSIDERATIONS

COMES NOW the Defendant, **JAN PUGH THOMPSON**, by and through undersigned counsel, Christine A. Freeman, and notifies the Court that Ms. Freeman has advised Ms. Thompson of the following:

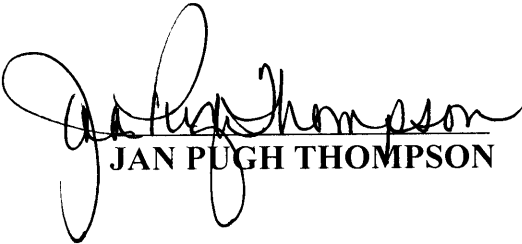
1. The sentencing guidelines contained in the United States Sentencing Commission Guidelines Manual (Guidelines) are no longer mandatory, but remain an important factor that the Court will consider in determining a reasonable sentence.

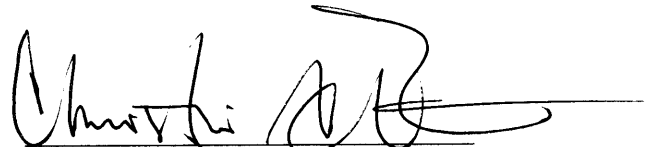
2. In addition to the Guidelines, in determining a reasonable and appropriate sentence the Court will consider the sentencing factors set forth in Title 18, Section 3553(a), of the United States Code. Those sentencing factors include:

- a. the nature and circumstances of the offense;
- b. the history and characteristics of the Defendant;
- c. the need to reflect the seriousness of the offense;
- d. the need to promote respect for the law;
- e. the need to provide just punishment for the offense;
- f. the need for deterrence;

- g. the need to protect the public;
- h. the need to provide the Defendant with educational or vocational training;
- i. the need to provide the Defendant with medical care;
- j. the kinds of sentences available;
- k. the need to avoid unwanted sentencing disparities;
- l. the need to provide restitution to victims.

Dated this 26th day of October, 2007.


JAN PUGH THOMPSON


CHRISTINE A. FREEMAN
Attorney for Defendant